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PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2)

MS 313(c) Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Petitioner hereby petitions the Commissioner to withdraw the above-identified application from issue. The Issue Fee in this application was timely paid on February 26, 2008.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-1952 in the amount of \$940.00 covering the fees set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(h) and 1.17(e).

Petitioner respectfully petitions that the above-identified application be withdrawn from issue in order to permit consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (Request for Continued Examination with an Information Disclosure Statement) submitted concurrently herewith.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this Application No.: 10/656,656 2 Docket No.: 249212021000

application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 03-1952, under Order No. 249212021000. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: April 4, 2008 Respectfully submitted,

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